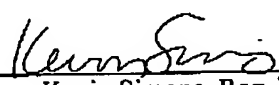


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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. 13 January 2003	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PCT/IB03/00070	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 17 January 2002
TITLE OF INVENTION Combination of cholesteric layer and alignment layer		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Koninklijke Philips Electronics		
Applicant(s) herewith submit to the United States Designated/Elected Office (USDO) the following information:		
<p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 37 CFR 1.55(a)(2).</p> <p>4. <input type="checkbox"/> A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made under PCT Article 34(3) on the earliest claimed priority date.</p> <p>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1)) is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</p> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) is transmitted herewith.</p> <p>7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the amendment to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) is transmitted herewith.</p> <p>9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</p> <p>Items 11. to 16. below concern document(s) or information included:</p> <p>11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98.</p> <p>12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</p> <p>13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment.</p> <p>14. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.</p> <p>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</p> <p>16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.</p> <p>17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney to Prosecute Application Before the USPTO [PTO/SB/90]</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) [PTO/SB/96]</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorization Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a)(3) and to Charge Deposit Account 14-1270.</p> <p>3 Sheet(s) of Drawings</p>		
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Arlington, VA 22213," on the date indicated below.		
RETRANSMITTED: (Date) 1/12/05 (Signature) Daniel L. Michalek		

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17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted: BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 C.F.R. 1.492(A)(1)-(5)): Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO\$860.00 International preliminary-examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482).....\$690.00 No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)).....\$750.00 Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 C.F.R.1.482) nor international search fee (37 C.F.R. 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO\$970.00 International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(2)-(4)..... \$96.00 ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =..... 970.00				CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY	
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 C.F.R. 1.492(e)).				\$0.00	
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	# EXTRA	RATE		
Total Claims	5 - 20 =	0	x \$ 18.00	\$0.00	
Independent claims	1 - 3 =	0	x \$ 84.00	\$0.00	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)		0	+ \$280.00	\$0.00	
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SUBTOTAL =				\$970.00	
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TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$970.00	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 C.F.R. 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 C.F.R. 3.28,3.31). \$40.00 per property +				\$40.00	
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =				\$1010.00	
				Amount to be Refunded	\$
				Charged	\$
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. 14-1270 (Customer No. 24738) in the amount of \$1010.00 to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, with the exception of the Base Issue Fee, which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1270 . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 C.F.R. 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 C.F.R. 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.					
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Dear Ms. Johnson,

Per your request here is a corrected copy of the Transmittal Letter in the above identified case.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact Philips IP&S.

Thanks, Daniel Michalek 

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